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In re application of:

Drewe *et al.*

Appl. No. 09/705,840

Filed: November 6, 2000

For: **Substituted 4H-Chromenes and
Analogues as Activators of
Caspases and Inducers of
Apoptosis and the Use Thereof**

Confirmation No.: 8076

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Examiner: Robinson, B.

Atty. Docket: 1735.0410002/RWE/BEC

Amendment And Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In Reply to the Office Action dated January 28, 2002 (prosecution history paper no. 12), please amend the application as follows. This Amendment is provided in the following format:

- (A) A clean version of each replacement paragraph/section/claim along with clear instructions for entry;
- (B) Starting on a separate page, appropriate remarks and arguments. 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and MPEP 714; and
- (C) Starting on a separate page, a marked-up version entitled: "Version with markings to show changes made."